

**PROGRAMME
OF THE 1ST SEE WOMEN'S MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE:
SEE WOMEN IN POLITICS AND THEIR VISION OF EUROPE,**

Dubrovnik, July 5th and 6th, 2006

Wednesday, July 5th

Arrival of the Participants at Dubrovnik Airport
Airport Shuttle Transfer for Ministers to Hotel Excelsior

- 19:15 Gathering of participants in the Hotel Excelsior lobby
- 19:20 Organized Departure towards the Restaurant *Konavoski dvori*, Grude
- 20:00 Arrival at Restaurant *Konavoski dvori*
- 20:30 Dinner hosted by **H.E. Ms. Kolinda Grabar-Kitarović**, Minister for Foreign
Affairs and European Integration, Republic of Croatia
- Konavoski dvori*

Thursday, July 6th

Breakfast

- 09:00 Opening of the Conference
- Opening remarks:
- H.E. Ms. Kolinda Grabar-Kitarović**, Minister for Foreign Affairs and European
Integration, Republic of Croatia
- Dr. Erhard Busek**, Stability Pact Special Coordinator
- Opening of the Conference:
- H.E. Ms. Jadranka Kosor**, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Family, Veterans'
Affairs and Intergenerational Solidarity of the Republic of Croatia

Lokrum hall

- 09:30 Panel Presentation on **Women in Politics in the EU**
- Chair: H. E. Ms. Kolinda Grabar-Kitarović, Minister of Foreign Affairs and European Integration, Republic of Croatia*
- H. E. Ms. Maria Rauch Kallat, Minister of Health and Women, Republic of Austria*
- (Remarks 10-15 minutes each)
- 10:30 Coffee Break
Press Conference in **Lokrum Hall**
- 11:00 Presentation on **Women in SEE Politics in the last decade (1996-2006)**
- Chair: Ms. Sonja Lokar, Chair, Stability Pact Gender Task Force (GTF)*
- H.E. Ms. Ivana Dulić-Marković, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Serbia*
- H.E. Ms. Ana Lovrin, Minister of Justice, Republic of Croatia*
- H.E. Ms. Zenaïda Greceanii, Deputy Prime Minister of Moldova*
- (Remarks – 10 minutes per participant)
- 12:15 Family Photo
- 12:30 Lunch
- Taverna Restaurant**
- 14:00 Plenary Discussion on **Challenges and Opportunities for Women Ministers in Euro Atlantic Integration: Tackling the development of Communication Strategies for European Integration**
- Chair: Ms. Marijana Grandits, Director, Stability Pact Working Table One*
- H.E. Ms. Arenca Trashani, Minister of Integration, Republic of Albania*
- H.E. Ms. Ljerka Marić, Minister of Finance and Treasury, Bosnia and Herzegovina*
- Dr. Dubravka Šimonović, Member of the UN Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women*
- (Remarks – 10 minutes per participant)
- 15:15 Coffee Break

15:45 Presentation of Chair's Conclusions and Discussion

Sonja Lokar, Chair of the Stability Pact Gender Task Force (GTF)

Brief closing remarks by all participating Ministers (2-3 minutes)

16:30 Adoption of Chair's Conclusions

Organized Departure of the Participants